

Remarks:

Claims 1-9, and 11-20 are pending in the current application. Claims 11-20 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 103(a).

**Allowable Subject Matter:**

The Applicant wishes to thank the Examiner for allowing Claims 1-9. Examiner's statement of reason for allowing claim 1 is that the prior art of record fails to disclose or suggest "establishing a stable illumination intensity state for the first and second illumination mechanism wherein a user defined predetermined range about each of the first and second thresholds is established by a first and second lower bound and a first and second upper bound, wherein the first illumination mechanism intensity is adjusted when the ambient light intensity is less than the first lower bound and greater than the first upper bound, wherein the second illumination mechanism intensity is adjusted when the ambient light intensity is less than the second lower bound and greater than the second upper bound."

Claim 11 has been amended to substantially incorporate the elements of claim 1. Therefore, it is respectfully submitted that claim 11 is in condition for allowance. Claims 12-19 depend on claim 11 and should be in condition for allowance by virtue of their dependence on an allowable base claim. Claim 20, as amended, depends on claim 1 and should also be in condition for allowance by virtue of its dependence on an allowable base claim.

No amendment made was related to the statutory requirements of patentability unless expressly stated herein; and no amendment made was for the purpose of narrowing the scope of any claim, unless Applicants have expressly argued herein that such amendment was made to distinguish over a particular reference or combination of references.

It is submitted that this application is now in good order for allowance and such allowance is respectfully solicited. Should the Examiner believe that there are matters relating to this application remaining that can be resolved in a telephone interview, the Examiner is urged to call the Applicant's undersigned attorney.

If for any reason the Examiner finds the application other than in condition for allowance, the Examiner is requested to call the undersigned attorney at the Los Angeles, California, telephone number (888) 789 2266 to discuss the steps necessary for placing the application in condition for allowance.

Respectfully submitted,

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